

OFFIC OF THE GOVERNOR

KATHLEEN SEBELIUS, GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER 04-12

WHEREAS, Dwight David Eisenhower served with distinction as the 34th President of the United States from 1953 to 1961; and

WHEREAS, he grew up in Abilene, Kansas, which is the home to The Dwight D. Eisenhower Presidential Library; and

WHEREAS, he distinguished himself as Supreme Commander of the Allied Expeditionary Force in World War II; and

WHEREAS, President Eisenhower signed the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1956 creating the Interstate Highway System; and

WHEREAS, the Interstate System was named the Dwight D. Eisenhower System of Interstate and Defense Highways through legislation signed by President George H. W. Bush in 1990; and

WHEREAS, the State of Kansas owns and operates a building known as the Harrison Center located at 700 S.W. Harrison, Topeka, Kansas, purchased in 1999.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Kansas, I hereby name and designate the aforementioned building:

"The Dwight D. Eisenhower State Office Building" in honor of the former President of the United States, and may be designated for directory, routing and mailing purposes as "ESOB."

The Secretary of Administration is hereby authorized and directed to cause, and provide for the payment of the erection of proper signs, monuments and insignias commemorating and recognizing the above and foregoing name on this building owned by the State of Kansas.

The Secretary of Administration shall also establish procedures for all state agencies and the divisions of the Department of Administration as to uniform names and designations of such building, including but not limited to uniform printing, standardized and uniform telephone directory designation and uniform building designation.

All state agencies housed or located in the building named in this Order are hereby authorized and directed to change, at the earliest practical date, all forms, stationary and mailing designations to reflect the above and foregoing.

As the above and foregoing name and designation honors a distinguished Kansan who served his country with honor, all state agencies shall use such building name and designation uniformly and consistently.

From and after the effective date of this Order, all statutes, contracts and other documents may refer to the above and foregoing building as named and designated in this Order, and this Order may be used by any court of competent jurisdiction as a proper reference as to the actual name and designation of the building and property enumerated herein.

This document shall be filed with the Secretary of State as Executive Order No. 04-12 and shall become effective immediately.

THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

BY THE GOVERNOR

DATED

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RON THORNBURGH SECRETARY OF STATE Secretary of State

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